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Appendix A - Estimated Employment and Origin of Seasonal Hired Agricultural Workers,
 by State and Selected Agricultural Reporting Area 1/
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Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers				Contract Puerto Ricans <u>2/</u>	Foreign			Canadian & others <u>3/</u>
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state		Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	
<u>U. S. Totals</u>	380,512	342,541	297,982	21,864	22,695	517	37,971	27,059	9,602	1,310
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	109,964	100,362	88,979	5,380	6,003	517	9,602	0	9,602	0
<u>Connecticut</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>4,300</u>	<u>3,960</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>340</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>0</u>
Tobacco Valley	5,000	4,300	3,960	0	340	310	700	0	700	0
<u>Florida</u>	<u>66,650</u>	<u>57,871</u>	<u>48,229</u>	<u>5,030</u>	<u>4,612</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,779</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,779</u>	<u>0</u>
Lake Okeechobee	24,755	18,181	14,436	1,600	2,145	0	6,574	0	6,574	0
Central Ridge	17,852	16,434	15,294	135	1,005	0	1,418	0	1,418	0
Tampa Bay	5,829	5,556	5,044	0	512	0	273	0	273	0
Other areas	18,214	17,700	13,455	3,295	950	0	514	0	514	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	<u>364</u>	<u>241</u>	<u>217</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>North Carolina</u>	<u>33,800</u>	<u>33,800</u>	<u>33,250</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Washington	3,100	3,100	3,100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Raleigh	2,100	2,100	2,100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Olive	15,000	15,000	15,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winston-Salem	6,100	6,100	5,550	350	200	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	7,500	7,500	7,500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>South Carolina</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Flatwoods and Coastal Plains	1,800	1,800	1,800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	300	300	300	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>New Jersey</u>	2,050	2,050	1,223	0	827	183	0	0	0	0
<u>North Central</u>	9,902	9,902	7,334	720	1,848	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Indiana</u>	542	542	294	0	248	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Michigan</u>	<u>5,820</u>	<u>5,820</u>	<u>5,100</u>	<u>140</u>	<u>580</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Benton Harbor	1,600	1,600	1,100	100	400	0	0	0	0	0
Muskegon	720	720	621	15	84	0	0	0	0	0
Manistee	620	620	599	0	21	0	0	0	0	0
Traverse City	125	125	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bay City	750	750	700	25	25	0	0	0	0	0
Lansing	300	300	250	0	50	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,705	1,705	1,705	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Dakota</u>	3,540	3,540	1,940	580	1,020	0	0	0	0	0
<u>South Central</u>	119,880	117,094	111,824	2,265	3,005	0	2,786	2,786	0	0
<u>Louisiana</u>	9,500	9,500	5,385	1,615	2,500	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oklahoma</u>	4,580	4,580	3,985	115	480	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Texas</u>	105,800	103,014	102,454	535	25	0	2,786	2,786	0	0
Llano-Coastal	8,180	8,177	8,177	0	0	0	3	3	0	0
Rio Grande-Plains	16,180	15,955	15,855	100	0	0	225	225	0	0
Coastal Bend	3,815	3,815	3,815	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lower Rio Grande V.	33,030	33,026	32,740	280	0	0	4	4	0	0
Trans-Pecos	1,430	900	900	0	0	0	530	530	0	0
Edwards Plateau	11,410	10,064	10,064	0	0	0	1,346	1,346	0	0
Northern Panhandle	1,915	1,837	1,837	0	0	0	78	78	0	0
High Rolling Plains	14,640	14,040	13,865	150	25	0	600	600	0	0
Central Texas	4,580	4,580	4,580	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
East Texas	5,200	5,200	5,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	5,420	5,420	5,415	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Western</u>	140,766	115,183	89,845	13,499	11,839	0	25,583	24,273	0	1,310
<u>Arizona</u>	19,940	13,537	11,653	927	957	0	6,403	6,403	0	0
Maricopa	12,280	8,107	7,257	325	525	0	4,173	4,173	0	0
Yuma	4,097	2,397	1,878	387	132	0	1,700	1,700	0	0
Cochise	1,125	935	600	175	160	0	190	190	0	0
Other areas	2,438	2,098	1,918	40	140	0	340	340	0	0
<u>California</u>	97,100	78,050	61,450	10,600	6,000	0	19,050	17,740	0	1,310
Desert	8,400	6,000	4,550	1,050	400	0	2,400	2,270	0	130
South Coast	25,000	14,800	11,950	1,650	1,200	0	10,200	9,230	0	970
Central Coast	13,200	10,050	6,800	2,400	850	0	3,150	2,940	0	210
North Coast	2,100	2,100	1,850	200	50	0	0	0	0	0
San Joaquin Valley	40,800	38,000	31,900	3,750	2,350	0	2,800	2,800	0	0
Sacramento Valley	7,600	7,100	4,400	1,550	1,150	0	500	500	0	0

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<u>Idaho</u>	3,880	3,880	2,753	135	992	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Montana</u>	3,825	3,825	2,335	822	668	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Sugar Beet	825	825	500	150	175	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,000	3,000	1,835	672	493	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oregon</u>	3,410	3,410	2,655	90	665	0	0	0	0	0
Willamette Valley	2,455	2,455	1,830	25	600	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	955	955	825	65	65	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Washington</u>	11,576	11,576	8,149	915	2,512	0	0	0	0	0
Northwestern	695	695	680	0	15	0	0	0	0	0
South Central	4,441	4,441	2,225	328	1,888	0	0	0	0	0
North Central	1,287	1,287	1,042	130	115	0	0	0	0	0
West Central	2,835	2,835	2,785	43	7	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	2,318	2,318	1,417	414	487	0	0	0	0	0

^{1/} Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1963 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this appendix. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal farm workers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farm workers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

^{2/} The number of contract Puerto Rican workers is a subtotal of interstate migrant workers.

^{3/} Includes Japanese and Filipinos as well as Canadians.